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Title: System, Program Product, and Method for Comparison Shopping with Dynamic
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2. 15 sheets of informal drawings; and
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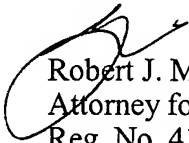
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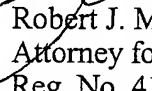
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